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1) v, Neumann Symposium; 2) Govt & Sci Res.

1-- I am glad to see how program is shaping up, and (if there was any doubt) confirm my acceptance of your invitation.

2-- I embyed your atticle in Public Interest.

May I ask if you have a bibliographic listing of your writings; or at least those of interest to a would-be student of science-and-policy?

Needless to say I share your concerns about the place of science in what may be a cultural revolution. I am not at all happy with the rather emotional formulations that emerge from the Academy of A&S talk -- you may note the date was May 1970, and better understand the tone; and this was cribbed from a piece I had put together at 3 am the previous day for a talk to the American Psychiatric Association, an ambience that may have influenced my mood ---not to mention the radical pickets and potential hecklers.

However all this did move me towards the operation we have just started at the Center for Adv. Stud. Behav. Sci here. Your article points precisely to the issue that most concerns me (the survivability of science as a cultural institution); and I hope to tap whatever wisdom you can offer in this pursuit.

Yours sincerely,

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